

KILLING OF NEWBORN HARP SEALS IN
CANADIAN WATERS

Apr. 6, 1977
[H. Con. Res. 142]

Whereas the annual six-week harp seal hunt in Canada is scheduled to begin March 12, 1977, amidst growing public concern and protest; Whereas the quota for this year's hunt has increased from one hundred and twenty-seven thousand to one hundred and seventy thousand seal pelts;

Whereas the 1977 quota will allow hunters to kill a high percentage of the newborn seal pup population;

Whereas there is enough conflicting scientific data available indicating that the 1977 quotas may be unsound from a conservation point of view; and

Whereas there is a growing international appreciation of the need to preserve animals which are or may become endangered species: Now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That, because the killing of newborn harp seals in Canadian waters is considered by many citizens of the United States to be cruel, and if continued at the current high level may cause the extinction of that species of seals, the Government of Canada is urged to reassess its present policy of permitting such killing in Canadian waters.

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CORRECTIONS OF ENROLLED BILL H.R. 3365

Apr. 7, 1977
[H. Con. Res. 191]

Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate concurring), That the action of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and of the Acting President of the Senate pro tempore, in signing the enrolled bill (H.R. 3365) to extend the authority for the flexible regulation of interest rates on deposits and accounts in depository institutions, and for other purposes", be, and the same is hereby, rescinded, and the Clerk of the House of Representatives shall make the following corrections:

Ante, p. 49.

(1) In proposed section 107(5)(E) of the Federal Credit Union Act (as contained in section 302(a) of the bill) strike out the semicolon and insert in lieu thereof the following: "· *Provided*, That a credit union which originates a loan for which participation arrangements are made in accordance with this subsection shall retain an interest of at least 10 per centum of the face amount of the loan."

12 USC 1757.

(2) Strike out section 303(b) of the bill and insert in lieu thereof the following:

(b) Paragraph (8) of such section is redesignated as paragraph (7) and amended by adding the following paragraph:

"(I) in the shares, stocks, or obligations of any other organization, providing services which are associated with the routine operations of credit unions, up to 1 per centum of the total paid in and unimpaired capital and surplus of the credit union with the approval of the Administrator: *Provided, however*, That such authority does not include the power to acquire control directly or indirectly, of another financial institution, nor invest in shares, stocks or obligations of an insurance company, trade association, liquidity facility or any other similar organization, corporation, or association, except as otherwise expressly provided by this Act;"